

NOVEMBER 2021 AT GLENKIRK 

# JOURNEY

Experiences, Resources, and Classes to Help You Grow Closer to God



## CALENDAR

- Nov 5** iMoms
- Nov 7** Operation Christmas  
Child Shoeboxes Last Day
- Nov 14** Surviving the Holidays
- Nov 14** Shepherd's Tree Last Day
- Nov 14** Homebuilders
- Nov 20** Blood Drive

## PRAYER & DEVOTIONALS

- Submit a prayer request or sign up for our prayer chain: [GlenkirkChurch.org/news](http://GlenkirkChurch.org/news)
- Download weekly devotional: [GlenkirkChurch.org/devotions](http://GlenkirkChurch.org/devotions)
- Join livestream and to view past sermons: [GlenkirkChurch.org/sermons](http://GlenkirkChurch.org/sermons)

## COMMUNION

We will be celebrating Communion on **November 7**. Email at [Info@GlenkirkChurch.org](mailto:Info@GlenkirkChurch.org) if you have any questions.

## ALL CHURCH

### New Sermon Series | 'Faithwork: The Book of James' | Through November 21

A 10-week expository series through the book of James that focuses on the practical ways our Christian faith can impact our daily lives. This series primarily focuses on the BECOME and LOVE parts of Glenkirk's mission. This series overlays with a six-week sermon based small group campaign.

### Faithwork Small Groups

Learn how to apply the book of James to our lives. Email [Info@GlenkirkChurch.org](mailto:Info@GlenkirkChurch.org) to join a group. Materials are available at the Connection Center if you are signed up.



### Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes | Until November 7

Pick up and fill a Christmas shoebox for a child in need through Samaritan's Purse and return it by November 7. For any questions, please email [Info@GlenkirkChurch.org](mailto:Info@GlenkirkChurch.org).

### Shepherd's Tree | Sundays | Patio | Until November 14

Thank you to all who took gift tags to bless our Navajo friends at Chinle. All gifts need to be wrapped and turned in by November 14. Please contact Jim and LeeAnne Brennan at (626) 963-5503 with any questions.

### Weekend Playlist | Available Online

Looking for some great worship music for your week? Check out our Weekend Playlist, available on Spotify ([GlenkirkWorship](https://www.spotify.com/GlenkirkWorship)) and at [GlenkirkChurch.org/music](http://GlenkirkChurch.org/music).



### GriefShare Seminar—

#### "Surviving the Holidays" |

Skylight Room | November 14 | 2:00 – 4:00pm

Learn how to navigate the holiday season after losing a loved one through this special GriefShare seminar. Some topics that will be discussed include

why the holidays are difficult, managing emotions, and honoring your loved one's legacy. Please email [JAnderson@GlenkirkChurch.org](mailto:JAnderson@GlenkirkChurch.org) to join.



### Blood Drive | November 20 | 10:00am – 2:00pm

Glenkirk is partnering with Life Stream blood bank and will be hosting a drive in the Event Center. Appointments are available from 10:00am – 2:00pm and can be made by visiting [GlenkirkChurch.org/news](http://GlenkirkChurch.org/news).



### Betsy's Retirement Party |

#### Save the Date | December 4 | 2:00pm

Save the date for Betsy's retirement party. If you would like to be part of the planning team please email [Info@GlenkirkChurch.org](mailto:Info@GlenkirkChurch.org). More details to come!

### Glenkirk APP is available!

A NEW way to connect! The Glenkirk Church app is available on any smart phone device and will allow our congregation to stay connected from anywhere! This app features sermon podcasts, sermon notes, digital Connection Card, online giving, a built-in events calendar, and more. Text "GLENKIRKAPP" to 833-245-5318 to download or go to [GlenkirkChurch.org/app](http://GlenkirkChurch.org/app) for more info.

### Become Booklet

Why not prayerfully consider how God might be asking you to “become more fully devoted”. Our Become booklet is designed to help you answer the question. PDF version available at [GlenkirkChurch.org/news](http://GlenkirkChurch.org/news). Email us at [Become@GlenkirkChurch.org](mailto:Become@GlenkirkChurch.org) for info.

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## ADULT MINISTRIES

### (Pastor Betsy Straeter)

**Homebuilders** | November 14 | 11:45am lunch | 12:30pm program

For parents of children ages infant through high school. Come for fellowship, encouragement, and to be equipped with tools to grow our families in truth and love. Lunch is provided on the field east of the playground. Programming begins at 12:30pm in the Event Center. Childcare and activities available for birth through high school. Register by emailing [JHeller@GlenkirkChurch.org](mailto:JHeller@GlenkirkChurch.org).

**Threads of Joy** | On Break

If you love to craft, sew, or knit, join us as we make items that bring comfort to those who are facing medical challenges. Email [Info@GlenkirkChurch.org](mailto:Info@GlenkirkChurch.org) for info.

### Small Groups

Interested in facilitating a small group or interested in joining one? Email Jenn at [JDegraw@GlenkirkChurch.org](mailto:JDegraw@GlenkirkChurch.org).

**Adult Sunday School** | Beginning November 7 | ‘Clear View of the Birth of Jesus’ |

Sundays | 10:45am | Room 22 & Zoom

As we prepare for the holidays, join us for a special series. We will be looking at the birth of Jesus through a Middle Eastern lens that provides context to the Christmas story. Pastor Betsy will be leading this video series. Email [Info@GlenkirkChurch.org](mailto:Info@GlenkirkChurch.org) to join.

**Stretch & Balance Class - Adults 60+ |**

Meeting Virtually | On Break November 1 – 7  
Safe & light exercises led by a certified health instructor at no charge. For more info, contact [Info@GlenkirkChurch.org](mailto:Info@GlenkirkChurch.org).

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## MEN’S MINISTRIES

### (Darren Richer)

**Men’s Small Groups** | Meeting Virtually

Our groups meet on various days and times in the morning and evening. To find a group that fits you and your schedule, please email [Men@GlenkirkChurch.org](mailto:Men@GlenkirkChurch.org).

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## WOMEN’S MINISTRIES

(Pastor Betsy Straeter) Follow us on Instagram and Facebook! [@WomenOfGlenkirk](https://www.instagram.com/WomenOfGlenkirk)

**Women’s Bible Study** | “Kingdom of God” | Wednesdays | 9:30am

Join us Wednesday mornings as we study the Kingdom of God and why it is important to our Christian life. We will discuss the teachings of Jesus, what the Kingdom of God is, and how we can participate in bringing the Kingdom of God. To register, please visit [GlenkirkChurch.org/women](http://GlenkirkChurch.org/women).

**iMoms** | November 5 | 9:30am – 11:30am

iMoms is a great place for mothers of young children to find a place of comfort, support, guidance, and inspiration. We will explore thoughtful and practical topics related to motherhood. iMoms will gather bi-weekly Fridays. To register, please visit [GlenkirkChurch.org/moms](http://GlenkirkChurch.org/moms).

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## CHILDREN MINISTRIES

### (Amber Flores)

Follow us on Instagram! [@GlenkirkKids](https://www.instagram.com/GlenkirkKids)

**AWANA Clubs** | Wednesdays | 6:30pm

Children ages 3 years–5th grade are welcome to join us each week as we learn more about the Bible, how to show the love of Jesus to others, and have some fun! For more info, contact [AFlores@GlenkirkChurch.org](mailto:AFlores@GlenkirkChurch.org).

**Sunday School – 9:00am & 10:45am**

**KidMin (1st – 5th Grade)**

In-person Sunday School has reopened for grades 1st – 5th at both 9:00am and 10:45am! Email [AFlores@GlenkirkChurch.org](mailto:AFlores@GlenkirkChurch.org) for more info, or visit [GlenkirkChurch.org/elementary](http://GlenkirkChurch.org/elementary).

**Early Childhood (2 Years Old – Kindergarten)**

In-person Sunday School has reopened at both 9:00am and 10:45am! For more info, please email [EBraun@GlenkirkChurch.org](mailto:EBraun@GlenkirkChurch.org).

**Nursery (Newborns and Toddlers)**

Our loving volunteers are ready to care for your little ones while you attend Sunday services or classes. In the event that a parent is needed, the parent’s cell phone will receive a text message.



## ENGAGE - STUDENTS

(Josh Linden)

Follow us on Instagram! [@GlenkirkStudents](#)

**ENGAGE Sunday** | Sundays | 10:45am |

Gathering Place | On Campus

Middle school and high school students gather in person for worship on Sundays. Our current series, "Focus", discusses topics on faith, identity, freedom, and hope.

**ENGAGE Midweek** | Wednesdays | 6:30pm |

Gathering Place | On Campus

Join us for worship and word each week! Open to Middle School and High School students.

## CARE & SUPPORT MINISTRIES (Jenn DeGraw)

**GriefShare** | Tuesdays | 7:00pm - 8:30pm |

Gathering Place & Zoom

GriefShare is a caring group which will walk alongside you through one of life's most difficult experiences. You don't have to go through the grieving experience alone. Register online at [GlenkirkChurch.org/griefshare](#).

### Lay Counseling

Counseling is available when life gets tough or in times of crisis. Premarital counseling is also available. For info, please contact [LayCounseling@GlenkirkChurch.org](#).

### Meal Ministry

We have an ongoing ministry in which we provide meals for those who have a need due to illness or a new baby. Please contact Jenn at [JDegraw@GlenkirkChurch.org](#).

### Glenkirk Cares

If you could help with transportation or meals for an individual with cancer or the family of an individual with cancer, contact Jenn at [JDegraw@GlenkirkChurch.org](#). Glenkirk Cares seeks to help the patient and family while providing support and sharing the gospel.

### Deacons

Deacons are available to help with financial assistance or meals during a time of illness or hospitalization. Please contact Jenn at [JDegraw@GlenkirkChurch.org](#).

### Compassionate Care

We seek to meet the physical, emotional, and mental needs of people as a way of sharing Christ's love. If you or someone you know is in need, please contact Andrea Messinger at [AMessinger@GlenkirkChurch.org](#).

### Living Stones | Meeting Virtually

For family and friends of gay individuals. For more info, please call Living Stones at 626-963-6683.

### Ray of Sonshine (Chronic pain, illness)

Info: [djemiddleton-access@msn.com](#)

**Alcoholics Anonymous** | On Break

**Al-Anon for Women** | On Break

**Narcotics Anonymous**

Thursdays | 8:00pm | Room 22

## CONNECTIONS (Jenn DeGraw)

### Want to Find an Area to Volunteer?

Stop by the Connection Center following the services and talk with our connection team.

## FINANCIAL NEED

### Financial Information Available Online

We thank you for your continued financial support during these turbulent financial times. For a detailed look at our financials, visit [GlenkirkChurch.org/give](#).

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### OUR SUNDAY SERVICES:

[GlenkirkChurch.org/sermon](#)

9:00AM | INDOORS & ONLINE

10:45AM | INDOORS & ONLINE

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